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## CITY IN BRIDE.

Henry Wallenstein returned last even ng from New York

Dr. McCless is suffering from an at-ack of rneumatism.

Miss Mary Ellis of Springfield, Ill., is in the city visiting friends. Mayor Noble of Medicine Lodge was a visitor in the city last night.

There are now six Republican candidates for judge of the district court. C. S. Jobes, state bank commissioner, was in the city for a short time yester-

Will Stoiler of West Plains, Mo., was a visitor in the city for a short while

Rev. Colt delivered the Baccalaurate sermon to the Wellington Highischool last evening. Charles Bigelow for assistant state abor commistoner.

Andy Richards of Wellington was in town for a few hours yesterday; also John A. Kendall of the Standard.

Warrants were issued out of Justice Jones' court yesterday for John and Silas Jackson on a charge of petit lar-Harry Gordon went o Topeka last

night to attend the meeting of Repub-lican clubs. He wore the latest style Derby hat. Frank A. Mason of Riverside receiv-

ed a dispatch vesterlay informing him of the sudden death of his brother in making. Mr. Long wanted him to go kind.

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Bill Stafford, one of the pioneer hackmen, has identified himself with the race horse languages and will start out with a string early next month.

Miss Madge Pearson leaves this morn ling for Mexico. Mo. where she will remain visiting until May 1, at which time she will go to Geneva, N. Y.

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promote the work of getting better M. J. Hepper, Too Moines, Ia., was in the city yestrday. He is a cousin to the man of the same name who was

killed at Welliegton a few years ago by

The Petry Hose Coupler company have been vexed, somewhat, the past day or two by rumors set agoing that they had quit business. They deny it

with an emphatic "taint so."

C. H. Bartlet, formerly with Stage & Burt of this city, has accepted a position with Jordon & Sanders of St. Louis, manufacturers of and dealers in bleycles. Charles not only knows how to ride one.

Miss Mand Struble has gone to Fort Worth. Tex., her future home, where she has been tendered a nice position. The many friends who so kindly tendered in their consistance and sympany, as well as those presenting floral fields by the worth of our knows how to ride one.

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Wichita Man Proposes a Scheme That Rects subsoiling.

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SLOAT FASSET, NEW YORK'S POPU-LAR POLITICIAN, IN TOWN,

He Says He is Not Here Organizing a Political Boom but Gathering Up the Remnants of Another Boom--He Would Not Make a Speech Because He Did Not Know What to Say--He Dodged a Question Concerning Free Coinage in Time Alive.

Last evening's Santa Fe train from the south brougth in Hon. J. Sloat Fasset of New York and Congresman Chester I. Long of Medicine Lodge, both of whom remained over until the arrival of the Texas train when they went north, Mr. Long to Topeka and Mr. Fasset to Deming, N. M.

When a reporter for the Eagle asked Mr. Fasset is he was in the west organizing a vice presidential boom he looked far away and after some reflection said: "No, that is not substantial enough for me. I have had a boom out here once and I am now gathering up the remnants of it."

Mr. Fasset's mission is not a political as those who saw him mingling with the young politicians who were en-route to attend the meeting of the leaque of Republicans clubs, supposed. He was down at Wellington on busines | Permanent Officers Will be Elected in May During the land boom a few years ago he scattered about \$75,000 in investments in New Mexico and left for Dem-ing last night for the purpose of look-ng after them. His New Mexico investments are principally in mining properly and under existing conditions are not regarded as strictly satisfac-tory on account of the general depresion in the mining regions.

sion in the mining regions.

At Wellington he remained all day and was especially interested in the workings of the prohibition law there.

"I have seen tigers in my own town," said he, referring to the Tammany tigers, "but they are not blind like your tigers out here."

"But, aren't they dead," suggested the reporter.

the reporter. "No, indeed," he said, "but on the contrary, they are very much more alive than the people generally think. You ought to see them voting once," said he, and he no doubt remembered the time he was running for governor of New York.

of New York.

"You have a beautiful country here," said he, "I like it very much, and its possibilities are great."

Mr. Fasset anticipated a question or two on the subject of free colmage and he picked up his grip and made for the train smiling. The fact of the matter is Mr. Fasset since he has been in Kansas has learned a great deal about topublican sentiment with reference Republican sentiment with reference to the free coinage of silver. The Republicans of Wellington Highischool venius.

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ing strength.

New York senate for eight years, was Republican candidate for governor of the Empire state and was temporary chairmen of the Republican national convention. He is one of the few pub-

lic men who acknowledge their grati-tude to the newspapers for his political prominence. Mr. Fasset would be a typical western man if he lived about a

HE HAS A SCHEME.

Wichita Man Proposes a Scheme That ing:
"To the editor of the Eagle,
"All honor to the reins."

ear in Kansas.

turned to the house while the constable waited a little while and hearing Walker's groans and knowing that he was seriously wounded, went into the house. Walker was about to take another shot at him as he entered, and would have done so, but fortunately he had the single harreled shot gun instead of the other as he originally intended, and it being already discharged his effort was being already discharged his effort was armless. Mr. Davis has charged Walker with

attempt to rape and later on may charge him with rape. Walker is said to be in a dangerous condition and may not recover.

JOHN MEAGHER TALKS. -- He Says Tammany is Still Very Much | He Thinks Talbott Will be Convicted Surely in September.

John Meagher is in the city returning from Wellington, where he had been for the past month attending the trial of the case of the state against Jim Talbott. He is very much disappointed days. It is a damage suit in which Mr. Lane sued the city for \$10,500.

The plaintiff is represented by J. K. Beaucamp and Amidon & Conley, while that is quite strong. Mr. Meagher is quite offended over a squib in a Wel-lington paper which made some insinuations against the character of his dead brother.

## WHEELMEN MET LAST NIGHT.

and Membership Increased. The halls in the basement of the ments in southern Kansas and he is now looking after their collection. He finds them in very fair snape, considering the general depression all over the country. He has still heavier invest—bolding a meeting in the rooms of the country. of forming a club to be known as the

Wichita Wheelmen. Those taking part in the movement thus far are: C. E. Sharp, I. F. West, I. N. Stage, Ralph Niederlander, M. H. Burt, Dr. Shultz, W. A. Hart, R. E. King, F. Herman, A. J. Allison, Roes, E. Miller, John Carmien, H. W. McCoy, Julius Luling, C. J. Fletcher, A. J. Applegate, Fenton Clark, Paul Brown, A. S. Parks, J. D. Houston, Newt. Garst, F. Craig, H. Hettinger, F. J. Cossett, R. B. McCain, F. Liebrandt, Theo, Neveens, A. Mussleman, Chas. Williams, A. M. Carr and E. Selover, A. temporary organization has been effected by the election of officers as follows:

follows:
President—Dr. Shultz.
Vice president—C. E. Sharp.
Secretary—C. J. Fletcher.
Treasurer—A. J. Applegate.
It is the intention of the club to hold another meeting on the 7th of May, at which a permanent organization will be effected and officers elected for one year.

Some of the members of the club said some of the members of the club said last night that when the club was thoroughly organized that they would make it hot for the bicycle theives, who seem to be getting in their work here, several wheels having been stolen

THE U. S. Government officially reports ROYAL

Baking Powder superior to all others in leaven

rolls around, there is a shortage of and spoon.

Formary, March and April are all dry. So every spring for years the Eagle has called attention to this fact and as regularly the next April following there will come a cry all along the line for rain. People after a while maybe, will learn that it's the lack of rainfall in the latter part of July and August only which now and then beats Kansas. There need be no apprehension about the lack of early summer rains. Only in one year that of 1866.

rains. Only in one year, that of 1899, did the summer rains fail. A local correspondent contributs the follow-

(Bulletin 13, Ag'l Dep't, p. 599.)

He Fell Down on the Ice and Sued the City for Ten Thousand Five Hundred Dollar. -- Case Gone to the Jury After a Three Days' Trial-Demage Cases Have Become Monotonous and the City Will Fight All Such Claims-Lane Claims the Paving Was the Cause of His Injury City Trys to Disprove That.

The case of S. F. Lane vs. the city of Wichita has occupied the time of the district court for the past three days. It is a damage suit in which Mr.

governed by outside influences. He says there is no question but what the evidence was strong enough to convict Tailbott. He says the case will come up again in September, and that there is hardly a doubt but what Tailbott will then be convicted. Bail in the case has been refused. He says that since the end of the trial the state has ascertained some additional evidence that is onlie strong. Mr. Mengher is them but to fight every one of them to a finish and let the men who have just claims collect them by law.

The plaintiff in this case is quite an old man and was injured by a fall on the ice at the intersection of Market and Second streets on the 6th day of February, 1893. He presented a claim for \$1,000 to the city concil but that body refused to allow it and suit was brought in the district court for \$10,500 as above stated.

Judge Reed instructed the jury that Mr. Lane's offer to compromise on \$1,000 did not invalidate Mr. Lane's claim for \$10.500 provided under the law and evidence he was entitled to

that amount. Messrs, Conley and Beaucamp made

that amount.

Messrs, Conley and Beaucamp made a strong fight for their client and attempted to show that their client was injured because of the ice on the crossing of Second street on Market and that the was there because of a defection in the construction of the pavement at that point.

Adams & Adams made just as able a fight for the city and the whole contract for paving Market street was laid before the jury and as was the report of the city engineer and other evidence going to prove that the city had exercised due care in the construction of the pavement and sewer.

The case was ably argued by both sides and was given to the jury yesterday afternoon and not having agreed upon a verdiet when court adjourned they were ordered to return a sealed verdict, which cannot be known until court convenes today.

The following are the jurors who tried the case: J. W. McCarty, G. W. Burdine, J. S. Sheppard, James Bailey, D. V. Donely, T. F. Hart, T. B. Bone of this city, and M. Aley, Delano township: Peter Stewart, Morton township: J. I. Roy, Delano township; William Mitchel, Kechi township, and G. M. Cantley of Gypsum township; William Mrchel, Kechi township, and G. M. Cantley of Gypsum township; Mr. Lanes' daughter was present during the trial, and took a stenographic report of the evidence for her father's

COMING LOCAL EVENTS. The Ladies society of the First M. E.

olders of Garfield Post association is

The General Guild of St. John's Epis-

Hotel Arrivals.

Hotel Carey-A. J. Steber, St. Louis; H. J. Rowe, New York; W. L. Martin,

ed to be prepared with reports.

Murdock at 2:39 p. m.

hall, April 25, at 2 p. m.

he intends by no means giving up mu sic as he will attend a music school Real Estate Transfers. (Furnished by the Wichita Abstract as

Land company.)

The records in the register of deeds
tice show the following transfers:

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of cor of Sherman ave and 3rd
st Watermans add to Waterman
add 34 36 Fourth ave Thomas ad
14 16 Topeka ave Fords add 65
69 Fifth ave Nort Park add 18 80
Fairview ave Loucks add 117
Market st Grieffensteins add
15 16 block 3 Santa Fe add 13
Zimmerly add 58 60 Topeka ave
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E. D. Smith, wd. se qr and s hf of

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## "After You!"

A well known barrater relates the following story with great gusto. Some time ago he had under cross examination a youth from the country who rejoiced in the name of Samson, and whose replies were provocative of much laughter in the court.
"And so," questioned the barrister,

"you wish the court to believe that you are a peacefully disposed and inoffensive kind

"And that you have no desire to follow in the steps of your illustrious namesake and smite the Philistines!"
"No. I've not," answered the witness.

"And if I had the desire I ain't got the power at present. "Then you think you would be unable to cope successfully with 1,000 enemies and utterly rout them with the jawbone

'Well," answered the ruffled Samson "I might have a try when you have done with the weapon."—London Standard.

Calf's Foot Jelly and Glue. Calf's foot jelly or gelatin, which ap-pears on the table in the form of various delicate soups and desserts, is made by exactly the same process as glue and from exactly the same materials. Greater care is taken, however, in selecting the parts of the animal to be used, and they are also cleaned much more carefully. After com-ing frem the cooling room gelatin is spread much thinner on the wire netting than glue, and when it is dry girls cut it

up with scissors into pieces about six inches long by three inches broad, and it is in this form that it often appears in the market. Some manufacturers, however, break it up into fine pieces and sell it in small packages. Gelatin is much more expensive than glue, and a great number of dainty dishes can be made from it. Isinglass, or fish glue, is another product of the glue factory and is much prized as a gum for the scaling of letters and the pasting of scrapbooks. It is also used in the making of confectionery.—Chicago

The Letters of Erasmus The Cooking club will meet with Mra. B. H. Campbell, Riverside, Thursday, April 25, Please bring fork, napkin The letters of Erasmus are a rich mine full of materials for a study of the sixteenth century in many aspects and not only in its religious controversies. We The annual meeting of the stockhave an insight into courtly, social and literary life. The paid tutor in the prince's to be held at the hall Thursday evening April 25 at 7:39. house had now become a regular institu-tion. We see the value of a dedication to Regular officers and the officers of the chapter of Sorrow of Ivy Leaf chap-ter No. 75, O. E. S., will meet in Garfield a wealthy patron. We have a vivid ple-ture of what traveling must have been,

the difficulty of procuring carriages, the slow pace by horseback, the wretched tavcopal church will meet Thursday after-noon at 4:30 o'clock in the church. All secretaries and treasuries are request-How we pity poor Erasmus in that jour ney from Basle to Louvain with his frail Wichita lodge No. 93 will put on the second degree Friday night. Special arrangements have been made to have a good time. All members are requested to be present and to come early. All visiting brothers welcomed. constitution, arriving at Aix after a fear ful shaking on bad roads and being re-galed with cold carp by the precentor and next day at the vice provost's with nothing but eels and "bacalao," salt cod almost raw. Though suffering much from illness aggravated by the journey, he managed to reach Louvain, where his miseries culmi-nated in an attack of what was supposed to be the plague, and hardly any one would come near him. He concludes, however, thus: "I send doctors to the devil, com-mend myself to Christ and am well in

three days."-Gentleman's Magazine. The City's Pitfalls. Idle Tim-Phew! Never had sich a nar-row escape in all the years I've been trampin. These 'ere big cities is full o'

pitfalls for the unwary.

Tattered Tom-What happened ye?

Idle Tim-I went into that big buildin, to tell me tale of woe, and where d'ye think I found meself! It was an employ-ment office—an 20 different persons offered me work afore I could get out.—New

## Peculiar to Itself

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Hood's Sarsaures world. The testimoworld. The testimo-nials received by its proprietors by the hun. dred, telling the story that Hood's Sarsapa-rilla Curve, are unparalleled in the history of medicine, and they are solid facts.

THAT MORAL Ex-City Attorney Tem Wilson went FINGER-BOARD to Topeles last night as a delegate to

of the ancient Jews, the Talmud, says: Thy friend has a friend, and thy friend's friend a friend. and my the same in the career of MOSS ROSE, the popular baking powder. Many sales are made through the the praise of one friend to another. There's no disappointment in it, so the praise goes on. You will be pleased with MOSS ROSE BAKING POWDER

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It's a pleasure to look and buy from such piles and heaps of Embroideries and Laces as we are showing

now. Pleasing prices always prevail.
White Silk Belts, Black Silk Belts, and a fine assortment of Solid Silver and Silver Plated Buckles take their turn at the special sale counter. Ask for them any time this week. Enough to go around and more,

Glance at south window-or take a long look at it if you have time. It holds a display of White, Silk and Woolen Dress Fabrics, with accompanying novelties. Ask for prices just inside the door.

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# AT Gush Henderson's



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